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THURSDAY, JUNE 22, 1905.

After the Fourth is over.
After I'm laid up in bed.
After they've bandaged and sewed me.
After they've plastered my head.
Many's the thought that turns in me.
Oh, how foolish was I
To hold in my hands a sky rocket
On the fatal Fourth of July.

Fourth of July will know that it had a birthday this year—in Crook county at least.

The season of straw hats has begun. It is now fitting for the weatherman to schedule a 40 mile an hour gale to blow until next fall.

All ready for the Fourth. Come to Prineville. Undertakers' reports will be published in full the week following. But there'll be fun for young and old alike.

The regular, unintentional, semi-annual report of the extension of the Columbia Southern railroad into Crook county came out as was expected about one week behind schedule. This time, however,—and it is always necessary to put in an extenuating clause—the report is to be followed by a visit of some of the officials. Whether they will bring along their fishing rods, the newspapers neglect to state.

The Interior department has come to the conclusion that 320 acres of the public domain shall be sufficient hereafter for any individual who has the necessary rights left and can find the land. With the scrip law repealed, the semi-monthly creation of new forest reserves, homeseekers restricted to a meager half section, with a beautiful halo of suspicion attached to their application, the country will soon realize that Horace Greeley's famous adage, "Go west, young man, go west," includes an unlimited amount of glory but a mighty little bit of the soil.

Editor Hofer, of the Salem Journal, who is in Portland to attend the land trials and write of the developments taking place, gives his paper the following in last Monday's issue:

This week has closed with several excitements, not the least of which was the announcement that Secretary Hitchcock and a force of clerks and Commissioner Richards of the land office would come on next week to take a hand in the land fraud trials. This will be the first trial in history where the cabinet and heads of departments, including the attorney general of the United States have descended to a personal interest in securing convictions, and it is virtually the United States vs. Oregon. It will be a battle royal to a finish. All the past week special detectives have been busy polling the jury. George Downing, who was taking in the fair, was kept under close surveillance by several detectives, and it was only after several interviews that they found out that he was not the right Downing, but it was Robert Downing, the Salem Alderman that is a juror, and so George S. escaped. The trials open Tuesday morning and I expect to be present if I am permitted, and report the proceedings. If any of our Oregon delegation are guilty of the things charged I want to hear it from the witnesses themselves, and according to the rules of evidence. As the matter stands they have been convicted over and over in the Portland newspapers. They are still entitled to the benefit of a conviction by a fair trial before being consigned to their political graves. The President has served notice on the land department, the law department and the interior department that the Oregon delegation must be sent to the penitentiary or there will be several vacancies in the cabinet.

Additional Locals

Chas. Huston, of Crook is in the city today.

Vern Baber and wife are in the city from Upper Crooked river.

Lumber was hauled this week to the public school building for the purpose of constructing a two story addition to the old structure. The new rooms will be completed and ready for use when the fall term begins in September. J. B. Shipp has the contract.

Old Scout, the automobile which passed through Prineville Sunday afternoon on its way to Portland, arrived in the latter city yesterday noon. Old Steady is due here at any time, but from last reports is having a hard trip of it. The former machine has won out with a week to spare.

The officials of the O. R. & N. and the Columbia Southern railroads who are making a tour of this county, are expected to arrive in Prineville sometime the last of the week. Yesterday they spent several hours between Cross Keys and Madras and proceeded from the latter place to Bend.

Assessor J. D. Lafollett has nearly completed his census of Crook county and expects to have it in shape by next week so that a summarized portion of it can be published. Mr. Lafollett says the population of the county will approximate 7000 and that some very interesting figures relative to the growth of various industries and the production of crops are forthcoming. The law compels

the assessors to enumerate not only the residents of the county, but also all of its products, industries, etc.

Look out for Smith the saddler. I am going to start a saddle and harness factory if I can get the Mexican. E. H. Smith.

NOTICE

We wish to inform the public that the Independent Meat Market has no connection whatever with any other in the city. Nor does anyone except the undersigned own an interest therein.
Crooks & Sailor.

Mrs. Hogan—An' how do yez kape the grass cut so foine?

Mrs. Gorgan—Me husband blows the whistle an' it shtops growin'.—New York Sun.

Biographer—And in writing you up, may I say that you started in life as an errand boy?

Magnate—No sir, you may not. I started in life as a helpless infant, just as you did, sir. I'm no freak.—Cleveland Leader.

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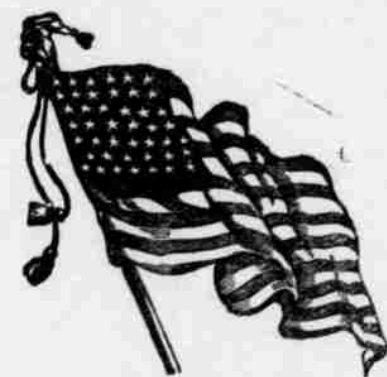
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a route for the new Western Pacific, it is thought the strenuous efforts of the Chamber of Commerce to bring about the desired end has had more to do with the decision of Mr. Harriman to build than the fear of competition from the Western Pacific, inasmuch as he is already on the ground with two trunk lines and would be in a position to control the bulk of the business. Prineville and Bend have long desired rail connections with the main line, and it may mean this new activity of Mr. Harriman will end in these routes being covered. Another factor in evidence which unquestionably actuated the plans for construction there is the promotion of an electric line from The Dalles to Prineville.—Telegram.

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Now he's lying in bed
With a knot on his head
And a bruise on his sore-solar plex.
—Puck.

Mrs. Ferguson—George, how do you like my strawberry shortcake?
Mr. Ferguson—I refuse to answer, Laura, on the ground that my answer might incriminate me.
—Chicago Tribune.

Mama—Have some more sugar, Willie?
Willie—Why, you always tell me that more than one spoonful is bad for my health!
Mama—That's at home—You're at a hotel now—take all you want.
—Cleveland Leader.

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In the matter of the estate of Elijah M. Barnett, deceased.
Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said deceased, to present the same to the undersigned administrator of said Estate at the office of M. R. Elliott, in Prineville, Oregon, with the proper vouchers, within six months from the first publication of this notice. Dated this 16th day of March, 1905.
D. W. BARNETT,
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